

Claims

1. In a voice command platform hosting a plurality of voice command applications, said voice command platform supporting a plurality of acoustic models, the improvement comprising:

providing instructions in a voice command application, said instructions selecting a particular acoustic model from said plurality of acoustic models for the application.

2. The improvement of claim 1, wherein the instructions comprise instructions in the form of a VXML metadata element.

3. The improvement of claim 1, wherein said particular acoustic model is selected interactively during execution of the application.

4. The improvement of claim 1, wherein the instructions comprise an identification of an acoustic model placed in an HTTP header.

5. The improvement of claim 1, wherein said instructions select an acoustic model based on an area code and/or local exchange number of a user accessing said application.

6. In a voice command platform hosting a plurality of voice command applications, said voice command platform supporting a plurality of acoustic models, a method of selection of an acoustic model to use with a particular voice command application, comprising the steps of:

receiving information from a caller to said voice command as to the area code and/or local exchange number where said caller is calling from, and

selecting said acoustic model based on said area code and/or local exchange number.

7. The method of claim 6, further comprising the step of interactively changing the selection of the acoustic model after said acoustic model is initially selected.

8. A method of selecting an acoustic model for a voice command application executing on a voice command platform, comprising the steps of:

providing said voice command with a VXML root document having a block of VXML code; and

providing in said code a VXML metadata field with an identification of an acoustic model to use with the application.